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RULES:

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RULE TITLE: Definitions

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RULE SUMMARY: The Oregon Legislature passed HB 2817 (2023) to include within the definition of "podiatry" the treatment of the skin, skin-related structures and subcutaneous masses, and wounds involving skin, skin-related structures and subcutaneous masses, on the human leg no further proximal than the tibial tubercle. The rule amendments implement HB 2817.

RULE TEXT:

- (1) "Ankle" means the tibial plafond and its posterolateral border or posterior malleolus, the medial malleolus, the distal fibula or lateral malleolus, and the talus.
- (2) "Board" means the Oregon Medical Board of the State of Oregon.
- (3) "Podiatric physician and surgeon" has the meaning given in ORS 677.010, a physician licensed under ORS 677.805 to 677.840 to practice podiatry.
- (4) "Podiatry" has the meaning given in ORS 677.010:
 - (a) The diagnosis or the medical, physical or surgical treatment of ailments of the human foot, ankle and tendons directly attached to and governing the function of the foot and ankle, and treatment involving the use of a general or spinal anesthetic if that treatment is performed in a hospital licensed under ORS 441.025 or in an ambulatory surgical center licensed by the Oregon Health Authority and is under the supervision of or in collaboration with a podiatric physician and surgeon;
 - (b) Assisting in the performance of surgery, as provided in ORS 677.814; and
 - (c) The treatment of skin, skin-related structures and subcutaneous masses, and wounds involving skin, skin-related structures and subcutaneous masses, on the human leg no further proximal than the tibial tubercle.

STATUTORY/OTHER AUTHORITY: ORS 677.265

STATUTES/OTHER IMPLEMENTED: ORS 677.805

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RULE TITLE: Practice of Podiatry

NOTICE FILED DATE: 10/18/2023

RULE SUMMARY: The proposed rule implements HB 2817 (2023) to clarify that podiatric physicians and surgeons practice podiatry defined in ORS 677.010, within the duty of care, and within their individual education, training, and experience.

RULE TEXT:

Podiatric physicians and surgeons practice podiatry as defined in ORS 677.010 and within their individual education, training, and experience. Podiatric physicians and surgeons are held to the standard and duty of care as described in ORS chapter 677.

STATUTORY/OTHER AUTHORITY: ORS 677.265

STATUTES/OTHER IMPLEMENTED: ORS 677.805